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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Closures for I-5 HOV Improvement Project (SR-170 – Buena Vista Street)

San Fernando Valley – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close the following lanes and ramps of the Golden State Freeway (I-5) as part of a \$121 million improvement project to construct High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV or carpool) lanes in each direction along I-5 between SR-170 to Buena Vista Street. Closures are subject to change. Detours will be signed.

*Due to the Holiday there will be no closures on December 31, 2012 and January 1, 2013

Golden State Freeway (I-5) Closures

Monday December 30 through Saturday January 5, 2013

- Southbound I-5 Roscoe Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 10 a.m. on Saturday January 5th)
- Northbound I-5 Roscoe Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday January 5th) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp TIME: 8 p.m. to 6 a.m.
 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday January 5th)
- Northbound I-5 Penrose Street Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp TIME: 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday January 5th) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m
- Southbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until10 a.m. on Saturday January 5th)



- Southbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 9 a.m. on Saturday January 5th)
- Northbound I-5 Tuxford Street Eastbound and Westbound Off and On-Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday January 5th) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Lankershim Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday January 5th) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off and On Ramps

TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday January 5th) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

- Southbound I-5 Penrose Street Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday January 5th) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Penrose Street Northbound and Southbound On-Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday January 5th) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Lankershim Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday January 5th)
- Southbound I-5 Lankershim Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until12 p.m. on Wednesday January 3rd) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off and On Ramps

TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday January 5th) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

 Northbound I-5 Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off and On Ramps

TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday January 5th) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

 Northbound I-5 Hollywood Way Eastbound and Westbound On and Off Ramp TIME: 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday January 5th)



- Northbound I-5 Buena Vista Street Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp TIME: 9 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 9 a.m. on Saturday January 5th)
- Southbound I-5 Hollywood Way Eastbound and Westbound Off Ramps TIME: 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 8 a.m. on Saturday January 5th)
- Southbound I-5 Hollywood Way Eastbound and Westbound On Ramps TIME: 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 9 a.m. on Saturday January 5th)
- Northbound I-5 from Buena Vista Street to Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard TIME: One Lane: 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 8 a.m. on Saturday January 5th) Three Lanes: 12 a.m. to 4 a.m.
- Southbound I-5 from Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard to Buena Vista Street TIME: Up to Two lanes: 8 p.m. To 6 a.m. (Until 8 a.m. on Saturday January 5th)
 Three lanes: 12 a.m. to 4 a.m.

About the Project

Caltrans is building an HOV lane in each direction of I-5 between SR-170 and north of Buena Vista Street in Burbank.

This project will alleviate congestion, encourage carpooling, improve air quality, provide a smoother ride for motorists, and reduce traffic on city streets.

Work began in early 2011 and is expected to be completed in late 2014. Caltrans thanks motorists for their patience and understanding during construction.

